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GENERAL STRIKE ON AT WINNIPEG

ALL LINES OF LABOR OUT IN SYMPATHY WITH BUILDING TRADES.

By the Associated Press

WINNIPEG, Man., May 16.—With labor forces in complete control commercial, industrial and municipal Winnipeg was paralyzed this morning by a general strike of 27,000 persons declared yesterday in sympathy with the building trade strikes. Telephone operators in all local exchanges joined the general strike today stopping all telephonic communication.

AUSTRIANS WILL SOON KNOW FATE

TERMS WILL BE READY FOR PRESENTATION BY MIDDLE OF NEXT WEEK.

By the Associated Press

PARIS, May 16.—It is indicated that the peace terms will be ready for presentation to the Austrian delegates about the middle of next week. The council of four discussed yesterday the military, naval and aerial terms of the treaty. Premier Lloyd-George will be absent today to bid good bye to a Welsh regiment leaving France and the council of four will not meet again until Saturday. President Wilson will improve the opportunity to meet a number of persons with whom he has appointments.

NEW SLOGAN OF MEN ON THE RHINE

The Recruiting Service, United States Army, is in receipt of the following appeal from the men on the Rhine, where it appears that the buck private's pay will buy most anything:

"Come Across, Boys! Come Across! Now is your chance to replace your silver chevron with a gold stripe. We of the Third Division who have served thru the campaigns from the Marne to the Argonne and are now revelling on the Rhine, will welcome you. We would regret deeply leaving this land of boche and snow. Nevertheless we do not wish to appear selfish.

"We know there are thousands of young men in the States who are rarin' to come across. We know, because we read of men who wept salty tears when the armistice was signed because they were deprived of doing their bit over here.

"We are willing to give them a chance to win that gold stripe. Of course things are a bit slow now. No longer do the G. I. cans blooze around us. Heine no longer comes across in his bombing machine with the tail-gate wide open. Those little surprise attacks at dawn are no more. Going over the top to cash in, in front of the boche machine gun nests is but a memory.

"Besides the chow has changed. Corn-willie and hardtack are passe. Goldfish is almost unknown. But if you can carry on under these hardships and disadvantages, why—come across, boys, come across. Still, Rhineland has its advantages. Even after July 1 Germany has no prospect of going dry—not so long as the Rhine flows, and you can smoke a cigarette here without hiding behind the barn as if you were committing a deadly sin.

"And think of this: One dollar good U. S. is worth five francs. Five francs are worth ten marks. So a buck private, instead of getting 33 dollars per month, receives 330 marks.

"Some money! 330 marks will buy anything in Germany. So come across, boys! Come across! It's a great life if you don't weaken, and win a gold chevron."

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox who have been visiting his parents at Roff and numerous friends in this city left today for a visit with her mother Mrs. R. Y. Kidd of Coalgate, from there they will go to St. Louis for a visit of several weeks after which they will make their home in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Cox have been residents of Ada for a number of years until about two years ago when they moved away on account of Mr. Cox's health during which time they have resided in Wichita, Kansas. Mr. Cox's health is much improved.

NEW PLAN OF SETTLEMENT

DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN ITALY AND JUGOSLAVIA PROPOSED.

By the Associated Press

PARIS, May 16.—Negotiations pending for adjustment of the Adriatic controversy contemplate a direct settlement between Italy and Jugoslavia through American mediation. By this plan the treaty with Austria would not specify the disposition to be made of Dalmatia, Istria or Fiume beyond detaching them from Austria.

NEW CLAUSE IN PEACE TREATY

TREATY BINDING WHEN THREE POWERS RATIFY AGREEMENT.

By the Associated Press

PARIS, May 16.—German peace treaty, it developed today, contains one clause not hitherto made public which provides that ratification by Germany and three of the principal associated powers will make the treaty effective between the ratifying powers enabling an immediate resumption of trade.

As a result of conferences among representatives of the powers continued today the text of the German treaty probably will be made public in installments. It is reported that the financial boundaries sections of the document will be released tonight.

GREEKS WILL HOLD SMYRNA

FORCE LANDED UNDER MANDATE FOR GREECE TO ADMINISTER TURK CITY.

By the Associated Press

PARIS, May 16.—An extensive allied naval concentration has been begun at Smyrna in connection with the mandate to Greece to administer the city. The United States battleship Arizona and four United States cruisers have arrived at Smyrna.

Greeks Pleased Over Landing. ATHENS, May 16.—News of the landing of Greek forces at Smyrna, Asia Minor, today was received here with great enthusiasm.

A Paris dispatch of Thursday stated that an important port in Asia Minor would soon be the theater of an inter-allied military and naval manifestation in which Greek soldiers, French, British and Italian warships would participate.

JUGO-SLAVS FALL OUT AND FIGHT

FIGHTING BETWEEN SERBS AND CROATIANS REPORTED FROM AGRAM.

By the Associated Press

LONDON, May 16.—Serious fighting between Servians and Croats at Agram, capital of Croatia, is reported in Vienna Dispatches tonight to the Exchange Telegraph Co. Many combatants are said to have been killed.

The Golden Legend. There are two angels that attend unseen. Each one of us, and in great books record Our good and evil deeds. He who writes down The good ones, after every action closes His volume and ascends with it to God. The other keeps his dreadful day book open Till sunset that we may repent; which doing The record of the action fades away. And leaves a line of white across the page.

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CHINESE CABINET OFFERS RESIGNATION

By the Associated Press

PARIS, May 16.—Chinese cabinet has resigned and the president re-

fused to accept the resignations, according to a telegram from Peking to the peace conference. The peace conference at Shanghai between representatives of northern and southern China has broken up, the telegram adds.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Cloudy and somewhat cooler is the weather outlook for Saturday.



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BOLSHEVIKI ON THE RUN

UKRAINIANS REPORT SUCCESS. PEASANTS RISE AGAINST THE REDS.

By the Associated Press

VIENNA, May 16.—Ukrainian reports indicate that the Bolsheviki are retreating from their advanced western position at Rovno before the army led by General Petlura and are retreating in considerable disorder owing to lack of transportation. It appears there is a general uprising of Ukrainian peasants against the Bolsheviki, the town of Homel in the government of Momelev falling into their hands. The army led by Zeleny, another Ukrainian chief, is operating on both sides of the Dniپر river near Miev.

AT THE PLAY HOUSES

LIBERTY.

The Fads and Fancies will present one of their very best and most entertaining numbers this evening. The picture program presents Gladys Leslie in the popular Broadway drama, A Stitch in Time.

AMERICAN.

Vivian Martin is the star in the Paramount drama, Jane Goes to Woolding. Here is a girl who loves two men at the same time and holds them both until she is ready to choose one of them. She was some schemer and got away with it.

PROMINENT ATTORNEY OUT WITH THE FACTS

B. W. Ashworth Declares Tanlac Has Proven to Be Correct Thing.

"I have used four bottles of Tanlac and it has convinced me of the fact that it is the right medicine for troubles like I had, and I am more than glad to let other people know of the benefits I have derived from it." This statement was made by B. W. Ashworth, a prominent attorney and counselor at law of Dallas, Texas, recently.

"For five years," Col. Ashworth continued, "I suffered from weakness, shortness of breath and general debility. I had no appetite at all and never enjoyed anything to eat. My vitality got at a very low ebb, I was sluggish and tired most all the time and had a shortness of breath that prevented me from taking much exercise. I couldn't either walk fast or far, as my strength would soon play out. I suffered from constipation all the time, was very nervous and got so little rest and sleep at night that I would get up in the mornings all tired-out and couldn't throw off my weak, debilitated feeling at all.

"I felt that something had to be done and finally I resorted to Tanlac and just let me say I have found it the proper thing for me. It started my troubles on the retreat in just a few days and now I am able to eat anything and enjoy it. I have overcome that tired weak condition and my nerves are as strong as anybody's and my vitality is splendid. I sleep fine all night and get up in the mornings feeling rested and fit for my duties. I feel stronger and have more vim and energy than I have in years. I have also gained six pounds in weight and cheerfully recommend Tanlac to any one needing a general all round straightening out and building up."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by Gwin & Mays Drug Co.

From Oscar Rowland.

Base Hospital 111, Base Section No. 2, A. P. O. 705, A. E. F., April 20, 1919.

Dear Mother: I received your letter a few days ago and was glad for as you know they are always welcome to me here in France. I am well and hope that this letter reaches you in the same stage of life. The weather is very pleasant here of late and hope that it will continue that way for an unestimated length of time.

Things are looking kind of favorable here now and it seems that we will be on our way home now some time in the near future, which is so, for I am longing to get home once more for we are doing and are seeing the same old things here every day now, so you can readily see why I want to go back to a land that is half civilized again. What do you say about that, isn't it so? Today is Easter and I suppose that you have seen a lot of eggs, haven't you? Well, I have, and boo coo of them, too. And believe me, they were good, too. But wouldn't it have been nicer if I were only able to have been home to eat, though?

I hope that you had a pleasant, happy and a merry Easter this year.

Now dear mother, I don't see any use in your crying about me, mother dear, for I am all right and in a month or so I will be back home where you can see me whenever you want to. Won't that be nice, though? Then we can live a happy life again once more.

Most all of the patients here have left us so you can see that there is bound to be something happening here soon, so don't worry, mother, for I am coming home. Toot, Sweet, see.

Your loving son,
OSCAR A. ROWLAND.

MARINE SERVICE OFFERS

6 MONTHS IN FRANCE.

Six months service in France immediately is the remarkable inducement offered to discharged marines and soldiers now enlisting in the United States marine corps. Telegraphic orders permitting this to be done have been received by the marine recruiting station at 212 1-2 South Main Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Never in the history of the army, navy or marine corps has such a thing been done. Under this order an honorably discharged "leatherneck" or "doughboy" who is physically fit, can enlist in Tulsa and be sent direct to the big marine overseas depot at Quantico, Va., where he will immediately embark for overseas to relieve men now on duty with the American army of occupation. He will be kept in Europe not later than next fall, and upon his return to this side he will be immediately discharged.

This opportunity to see Europe at the expense of the government, without signing up for four years' service, is without precedent and will undoubtedly result in a great rush of ex-service men to the marine recruiting office.

"Any man who has been to France and wants to go back, or any soldier or marine who failed to get across now has a chance to go over at government expense everything furnished," said 1st Lieut. H. G. Hornbostel, Officer in Charge of the Marine Recruiting office, 212 1-2 South Main St., Tulsa, Oklahoma, in commenting upon the unprecedented order. "He will have a chance to see many portions of Europe and get a good salary while he is doing it. The only qualifications are an excellent character, discharge and a good physique."

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GERMAN CORRESPONDENCE WITH WORLD INCREASING

By the Associated Press

Treves, May 16.—To illustrate the German attitude toward the war as a mere artificial interruption of trade relations the following incident is cited by the chief American censor:

"A German firm in the American occupied area writes to a firm in New York, inclosing the New York firm's letter of June 6, 1914, and began in this manner: 'In reply to yours of June 6, 1914, beg to state,' etc."

At the American censor's office here, where all mail from the occupied zone is passed upon before being sent on its way to the Entente countries, an average of two thousand letters a day written by Germans have been received, with indications of a gradual increase during the next few weeks.

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Recital of Mrs. Winget's Pupils.

A large and appreciative audience was present last evening at the recital given by Mrs. Winget's younger pupils in expression and music. Thirty pupils ranging in age from seven to ten or eleven presented a varied and most interesting program. Some of the beginners had not taken but six or seven lessons, yet they played with accuracy that showed the results to be obtained when proper instruction is given in the beginning of a musical education. Little tots played solos, trios and duets with perfect harmony. Some of the pupils gave readings and vocal solo work, these also showing marked skill and splendid training. There were perfect impersonations from children, they were masters of dialect and the character sketches were drawn with rare skill for children. A character sketch and musical-dialogue illustrating a quarrel between two school children and the subsequent "making up" was exceptionally good. One little girl played an "Action song," which was illustrated by four others in song and motion. The entire program was one of the best ever given Ada and praises were heard on every side for both teacher and pupils for the excellent program.

Tonight at 8:30 at the First Christian church Mrs. Winget will present the advanced pupils in their closing recital for this year and it is predicted that a crowd even larger than the one last night will be present to enjoy the splendid music to be rendered. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

PLUMBER THOUGHT HE NEEDED NEW PIPES

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From Millard Ford.

Thursday, 10:30 a. m., at the "Y." Dear Mother and Father:

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I won't be in bed over five or six weeks, then I can come home in better shape.

Please don't worry about me for I am really cared for better than if I was at home. Have Everybody write me, and tell them I would if I only could.

It is going on my nerve to have this done but when it comes to nerve, I have it.

Mother, I can't write much, for I have to write several post cards. Dad, I want you to take care of yourself, and be good. I will have a nurse to write often if I am operated on. Tell Sis and Sister to be good and write often. Good bye to all. Your son,

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UKRAINE AND POLAND KEYS TO RUSSIA

VIENNA, April 2.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—That Poland and the Ukraine are the keys to Russia is the conviction of The Associated Press correspondent who has just traveled over those two countries and interviewed dozens of the highest officers, officials and citizens.

There has been more talk than action concerning Poland as a barrier to Bolshevism but there has been not only no talk but some unfavorable action regarding the Ukraine which country apparently is almost unknown to a majority of the people in the Entente countries. The Ukraine has been visited in a casual manner by strolling officers and missions. A single American officer who attempted to visit Kiev, capital of the Russian Ukraine, was prevented by the French at Odessa, according to the statement made to The Associated Press by General Petlura at his railway car capital on a siding at Proskurov.

There is plenty of food in the Ukraine but Bolshevism obtained the upper hand there owing to use of money from Moscow, agitation and the buying of troops which otherwise would have been faithful. What is now important is that it should be understood that there really is a national movement in the Ukraine, and that this movement with a little help, Allied recognition and moral support, would manfully continue the struggle against the Moscow invaders and aid in preventing the invasion of Rumania, thus closing the Bolshevik corridor to Budapest.

The pathetic part of the whole business is that the Poles and others who should be co-operating with the Ukrainians spend their time in describing the Ukrainians as led by a group of adventurers, particularly with regard to the Ukrainian claim to the oil fields of Galicia. The version told to The Associated Press correspondent by an American oil man who has spent 25 years in these countries is that the Polish refinery owners, backed up by Austrian capital, first attempted to seize the oil fields and this led up to an attempt by the West Ukrainians or Ruthenians to hold these fields and to take Lemberg.

The Associated Press correspondent apparently was the first person from the outside to visit the Ukraine seeking unbiased information. The people who occupy what the yern West Ukraine, the old East Austrian Galician province, certainly are not led by adventurers. For the most part they are poor which is possibly due to lack of enterprise in the former Russian Empire. They are also unlettered. They would be far poorer if the oil fields were lost to them. But they have the spirit of their race and desire to be their own masters like the Poles and the Czechs. The latter have understood this fact.

Neither are the people of Russian or Greater Ukraine political adventurers. They are related by race with those of old Eastern Galicia at least as far eastward as Poltava. As soon as the correspondent passed from Lemberg into the Ukrainian army it was apparent that these men were a different race from the Poles; possibly less cultured but vigorous, healthy-minded men determined to hold their soil. As the correspondent went eastward he found more Russian types and manners but many of the people of the Greater Ukraine are as different from those of Greater Russia as daylight is from darkness. This is particularly true of the soldiers who came from the Poltava districts. They are manly, intelligent, food fighters, kind-hearted, open-handed and keenly aware of the wealth and possibilities of their new country and its wonderful black soil which has given the Ukraine the proud name of "Europe's granary."

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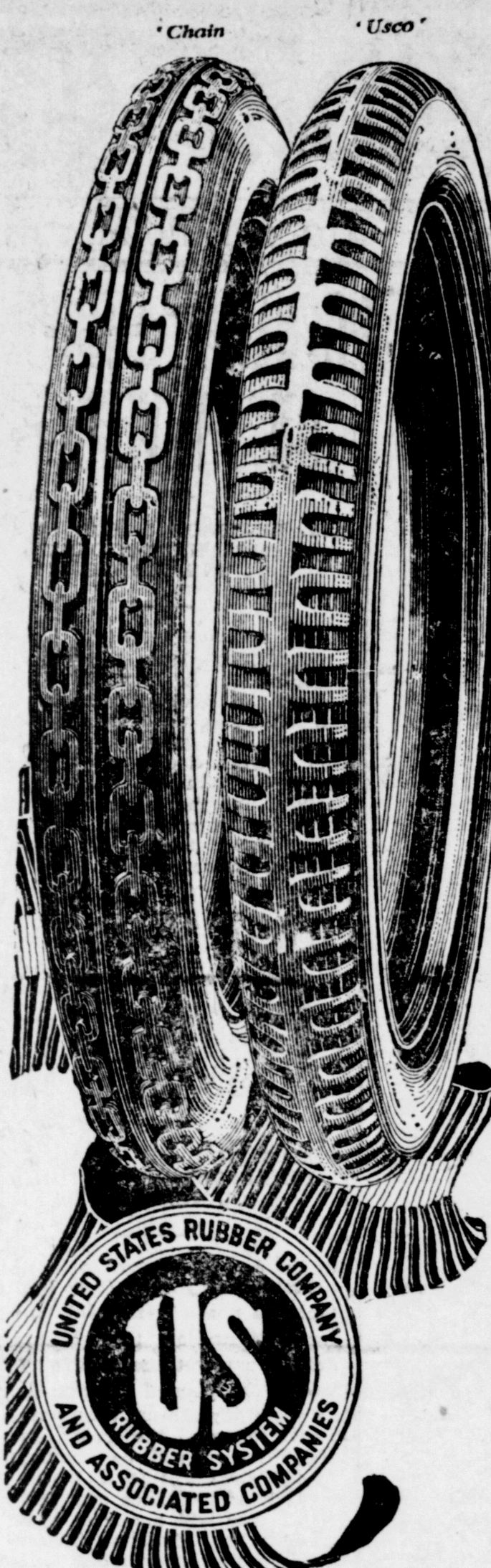
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GAS MOST EFFECTIVE WEAPON OF WARFARE

By the Associated Press

OTTAWA, Kans., May 13.—The most terrible weapon of the Germans in the war was poison gas. Dr. Reginald H. Meade of Kansas City, who was a major in the medical corps of the 354th infantry, 89th division, told the Kansas Medical Society which concludes its fifty-third annual convention here today. Dr. Meade was gassed, and he did not recover for five months. He was with the soldiers in the St. Mihiel drive and in numerous battles later in which the Germans used great quantities of gas shells. The mustard gas, he said, was the most effective of all the enemy gases. Though not as fatal as some

of the other kinds, it produced the greatest number of casualties.

Dr. Meade told of the 89th division's first experience with gas. It was just after it had relieved the 82nd in the front line at Toul. The Germans greeted the new division with a bombardment of 8,000 "yellow cross" gas shells on the night of August 7, 1918. It was not until the following morning, several hours later, when the men began to move around in the gassed area, unaware of its deadly vapor, that it began to take effect.

"When I arrived in the gassed area," Dr. Meade said, "I saw the most horrible sight I have ever witnessed. Men were lying around on the ground with their eyes covered to protect them from the light, and were vomiting and begging for relief."

On the following day he went back to the field hospital which the casualties of the 89th had been removed. All the cots were filled and men were lying about in the

small woods fairly covering the ground. "Their suffering seemed to be greater, judging from groans to be heard all over the woods, than any other suffering from wounds witnessed by me later. Fortunately, in wounds received from high explosive and machine guns, the suffering is not very great as compared with the suffering endured from gas. Gas demoralizes men much more than any kind of an attack—much more than the so-called 'going over the top.'"

"Casualties are produced in two ways, by inhalation of the atomized mist and by the handling of articles covered with the liquid film. The gas penetrates the clothing and is inhaled by the men. The film collects on solid substances, such as artillery, rifles, clothing and equipment."

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"COMMON CLAY"

AMERICAN THEATRE

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 22 AND 23

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THREE SOULS IN THE AGONIES OF GOLGOTHA—A SIMPLE OLD WOMAN, A MAN WHO HAS GAINED WORLDLY EMINENCE DESPITE "THE SKELETON IN THE CLOSET," AND A GIRL HANDICAPPED BY ADVERSE CIRCUMSTANCES—EACH TELLING THE INMOST SECRET OF A BITTER EXPERIENCE AND EVENTUALLY FINDING A WAY TO FACE LIFE WITH RENEWED COURAGE

THE NEVER ENDING STORY OF A GIRL WHO WAS WRONGED AND WANTED TO BE RIGHT. SHE LOVED PLEASURE AND SOUGHT IT WHERE SHE COULD FIND IT—AT THE DANCE HALL

AWAKENS IN THE BREAST OF THE SPECTATOR THAT PITY WHICH DR. GILBERT MURRAY SAYS "IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN WITHIN US FIGHTING AGAINST THE BRUTE POWER OF THE WORLD."

"COMMON CLAY" SHOWS THAT ALL MANKIND IS OF ONE ORIGIN AND MORAL WEAKNESS IS NOT THE SHARE OF THE POOR AND LOWLY ALONE THE STORY OF A LOVELY WOMAN WHO STOOD TO FOLLY A STRONG DRAMA OF HUMAN FRAILTY

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VETERAN OF RAINBOW

DIVISION AT FRANCIS.

S. T. Campbell, who was with the 42nd Division, better known to the public as the Rainbow Division, passed through the city Thursday afternoon en route for Francis where he goes to visit his uncle, G. W. Scroggins for a few days after which he will return to his home in Cullman, Alabama. Campbell says his impression of Europe was not very favorable since all of his travels were made at night-time—provided they were dark enough nights—if not they stayed put. He says the most exciting times he enjoyed were "going over the top" once in the battle of St. Mihiel and again in the Argonne Forest. He further stated that the only pleasure resorts he visited while there were shell holes.

British War Insurance.

LONDON, May 16.—War insurance, as carried on by the British government, dropped some \$85,000,000 net profit into the nation's coffers, according to a report just made public. The chief item of profit was \$80,000,000 on the hulls of British steamships which survived German submarine warfare. The greatest loss was \$55,000,000 on British cargoes which the U-boats sunk. The sum of \$7,500,000 was paid as insurance on the lives of officers and men the merchant marine, and \$1,750,000 a year is being paid as pensions and allowances to dependents.

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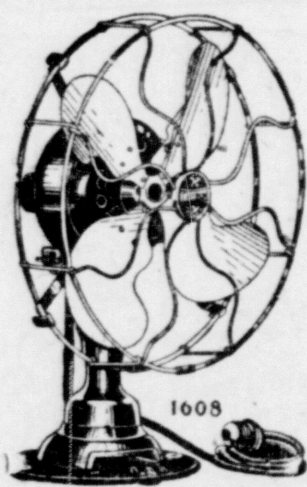
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR MAY 18.

THE GRACE OF GOD.

LESSON TEXTS—Ephesians 2:4-10;
Titus 2:11-14.
GOLDEN TEXT—We believe that
through the grace of the Lord Jesus
Christ we shall be saved, even as they.
—Acts 15:11.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Genesis 6:
7, 2 Cor. 12:9; John 1:16, 17; 1 Cor. 15:10;
James 4:6; 1 Peter 4:10; 2 Peter 3:18.

Grace means unmerited favor. God's
grace means his kindness toward us
through Jesus Christ. (Eph. 2:7.)
God's mercy does not go out to men be-
cause they are good but because he
is good and desires to bestow that
goodness upon lost and ruined men in
order to make them good.

I. The Grace of God in Salvation
(Eph. 2:4-10.)

Grace brings salvation; it does not
send it. Jesus Christ, who is the em-
bodiment of God's love and grace,
came bringing salvation with him. In
order to apprehend what the grace of
God has done, observe:

1. Man's natural state (Eph. 2:1-3).
In the natural man is found all that is
opposed to the will and purpose of
God. (1) Dead in trespasses and
sins (v. 1). The supreme need of the
dead man is life, therefore he must
have life from without himself. The
characteristic of one who is dead is
that he is (a) without sensation—
"just feeling." (4:19.) The natural
man, therefore, can neither love God
nor hate sin until he is made alive.
(b) Without motion. Activity is the
demonstration of life. So far as God
and holiness are concerned they are
motionless. They are as helpless as
Lazarus was in the grave. (2) Under
the control of fleshly and worldly lusts
(v. 2). The carnal nature holds sway
over their lives. (3) Under the domi-
nation of Satan (v. 2). All unregen-
erate men and women are ruled by Sa-
tan. Since he is the god of this age
(2 Cor. 4:4), the prince of this world
(John 12:31), all who have not been
freed by Christ are under the rule of
Satan. (4) Under the condemnation
and wrath of God (v. 3). Over all
these—death, worldliness, disobedience,
lust of the flesh—hangs the
wrath and condemnation of God.

2. Man's state by grace (2:4-10).
(1) He is alive in Christ (v. 5). The
Holy Spirit lays hold upon men dead
in sin and quickens them into life.
(2) Raised up with Christ (v. 6).
God's grace not only makes lost men
alive but raises them up with Christ.
(3) Association with Christ in glory
(v. 6). Christ's incarnation has so
identified himself with the race that
those who are saved are raised up to
be with Christ and shall ultimately
share his glory. The actuating prin-
ciple of God which moved him to thus
lay hold upon lost men is his love
(v. 4). Man's salvation is due entirely
to God's grace. Not only the salvation
has been provided in grace but the
faith which appropriates it is God's
gift (v. 8). Works as grounds of sal-
vation are absolutely excluded.
(4) The purpose of God in the sal-
vation of men (vv. 7, 10). (a) It is to
display his grace in the coming ages.
The demonstration to the inhabitants
of the spheres in which sin has not
entered. In the ages to come, will be
the transformation of dead and lost
men and their exaltation with Christ.
(b) To glorify God through their good
works (v. 10; cf. Matt. 5:16). While
good works have absolutely no part in
the salvation of men God's purpose in
saving them was that they might do
good works.

II. The Grace of God in Right Liv-
ing (Titus 2:11-14).

Grace is not only essential to sal-
vation but essential to right living. It
teaches saved men (1) to deny ungod-
liness (v. 12). The saved man has the
divine nature. The grace which has
saved him teaches him the neces-
sity of a denial of everything that is
opposed to God. (2) Worldly lusts
(v. 12). The redeemed man is sur-
rounded with the things of the world
which have a downward pull upon
him. The grace of God teaches him to
renounce them. (3) Sober living
(v. 12). The grace of God teaches
the saved man self-control; to have
the reins of his nature well in com-
mand and to rule with a strong hand.
(4) Righteous living (v. 12). The
grace of God teaches the saved man
to live uprightly with reference to
those about him. (5) Godly living
(v. 12). It teaches him to so live in
this present world as to enable him
to meet God and abide in his fellow-
ship. (6) It teaches the right mo-
tive in living (vv. 13, 14). The blessed
hope of the glorious return of the
Lord Jesus Christ is the grand incen-
tive to holy living in this present
world. He that has it will keep him-
self pure. (1 John 3:3.)

Greatest of All Heroes.

The greatest of all heroes is One—
whom we do not name here! Let sa-
cred silence meditate that sacred mat-
ter; you will find it the ultimate per-
fection of a principle extant through-
out man's whole history on earth.—
Carlyle.

Christian Life.

The problem of the Christian life
finally is simplified to this—man has
but to preserve the right attitude:
To abide in Christ, to be in position,
that is all.—Henry Drummond.

"I am penalized if ever
one comes back"



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FORD WANTS MILLION DOLLARS FOR LIBEL

By the Associated Press

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., May
10.—Henry Ford's \$1,000,000 libel
suit against the Tribune Company
of Chicago, publishers of the Chi-
cago Daily Tribune, will not go to
trial here today before Judge Jas.
G. Tucker in the circuit court of
Macomb county on change of venue
from Wayne county (Detroit.)

In the pleas counsel for Mr. Ford
make repeated reference to the
Tribune's trademark, "The World's
Greatest Newspaper," while the de-
fendant's plea speaks of Mr. Ford
as the world's greatest manufacturer
of automobiles, and estimates his
fortune in 1916 as at least \$125,-
000,000.

"In the year 1915 alone the
earnings of the Ford Motor Com-
pany amounted to more than \$50,-
000,000, or in excess of 2,500 per
cent of its outstanding capital
stock," says the Tribune plea. Ref-
erence to the plaintiff's wealth and
position in the industrial world is
made to show that his conspicuity
and power made him a proper sub-
ject of newspaper comment.

The meat of the alleged libelous
article was the headline of an edi-
torial published by the Tribune
June 23, 1916, as follows: "Ford
Is An Anarchist."

The editorial was based on a
special dispatch from Detroit, June
21, 1916, and published June 22

in the Tribune, to the effect that
Ford employees who enlisted to serve
against Mexico would lose their po-
sitions, that their salaries would
not be paid by the Ford Company,
nor provision made by the company
for their wives and families.

In the course of its defense as
shown in its plea the Tribune in-
vites attention to the fact that al-
though this news dispatch was pub-
lished widely in many other news-
papers at the time the Tribune pub-
lished it, no denial came from Mr.
Ford in the interim before the pub-
lication of the Tribune editorial on
June 23rd. On the 25th, however,
Ford denied the story and the Tri-
bune published the denial.

At the time of the alleged libel,
and for a considerable period be-
fore, the relations of the United
States with Mexico were strained.
Foreigners in Mexico had been mur-
dered, their properties confiscated
or destroyed; Villa the bandit had
raided the American town Colum-
bus, N. M., and all Europe was
afame with war. The Tribune was
among the leaders in urging uni-
versal military training and prepar-
edness, while Mr. Ford was at that
time, frankly a pacifist. Mr. Ford
published whole page advertise-
ments in newspapers setting forth
his views, one of them in the Tri-
bune. The Tribune turned the
money, \$887.04 received from this
advertisement, over to the Navy
League, to be used for patriotic ser-
vice.

Mr. Ford first filed suit in the
Federal Court at Chicago, on Sept.
7, 1916, but this was withdrawn
and the suit instituted in the cir-
cuit court of Wayne County. To
give the state court jurisdiction,
Sam. Max and Henry Solomon,
wholesale newspaper distributors do-
ing business as Detroit, as the So-
lomon News Co., also were made de-
fendants, they having distributed the
Tribune in Michigan. Their
status in the case is said to be
purely technical.

The Tribune was granted a
change of venue from Wayne coun-
ty on allegations that owing to Mr.
Ford's prominence there the de-
fendants could not obtain a fair
trial. Mount Clemens is about sev-
enteen miles from Detroit.

U. C. V. IS UNABLE TO

FIND REUNION CITY
Fort Worth, Tex., May 15.—Gen-
eral K. M. Van Zandt said today
that he had nothing definite to give
out at this time on the difficulties
encountered by the Confederate vet-
erans in finding a city in which to
hold their 1919 reunion. If no sat-
isfactory arrangements could be
made, he said, the reunion sched-
uled for this year might of necessity

have to be postponed, but at present
the committee had reached no
definite conclusion.

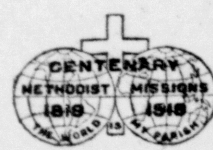
"Savannah, Georgia, invited us to
meet there," explained General Van
Zandt, "but when the committee
of our organization selected the first
week in October as the date, Savan-
nah said she could not entertain us
then. We were then left without
any meeting place. We are now
trying to get a city that can prop-
erly entertain the veterans to in-
vite us and hope to attain results
in a short time, but the members
of the committee of fifteen are
scattered all over the South and
great difficulty is met in communi-
cating with them. I have written
or wired all of the members and

expect to have something to an-
nounce in a few days.

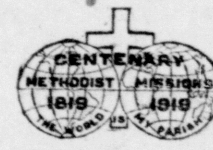
"When Savannah told us that she
could not entertain the reunion this
year it left us up in the air. And
we are practically in that condition
at present. If we can not obtain a
suitable place for the 1919 reunion
we will have to miss a year but I
hope this will not be necessary."

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FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1919.

The Republicans of congress will
devote a large part of their time
during the special session in creat-
ing campaign issues for 1920. Just
now they are up against it.

We are often asked when we ex-
pect to get out a "Booster Edition."
Every issue of the News is our
booster edition. If you have a
boost in your system let us have it
today. If you wait for a special
issue you might lose the spirit.

Who will head the presidential
tickets next year? Both parties are
more or less up in the air and the
field is apparently open to all com-
ers. Events of the next few months
will determine the leadership ques-
tion.

We have just passed through an
era of cooking and preparing vari-
ous kinds of food whereby the
greatest amount of nourishment
could be gotten from the least ex-
pensive materials for grown-ups,
but what about the babies? Is there
a baby health center in your
neighborhood where you and your
friends can go to learn just how to
prepare your baby's food?

The Dutch people are finding the
presence of the former kaiser in
their country a big embarrassment.
However, getting rid of him is a
problem. The allies will likely sub-
mit a demand in the near future
that he be turned over to them for
trial and then the Dutch will be up
against it again. Little Holland was
between the devil and deep sea
throughout the war and the coming
of peace has not removed all her
troubles.

The squabble among the Goulds
over the millions of the family is
enough to make old Jay Gould turn
over in his grave. He spent a life-
time amassing these millions and no
doubt his life would have been sev-
eral years longer had he taken
things easier, but now his children
are fighting among themselves over
these millions each afraid the oth-
ers are hogging too much of the
family fortune. It is a case of
come easy, go easy.

Marshal Foch would doubtless
welcome a refusal on the part of
the Germans to sign the peace
terms. The sudden ending of the
war thwarted his ambition to march
at the head of his troops into Ber-
lin and he would doubtless welcome
an opportunity to go there now. At
all events he is on the Rhine wait-
ing for the word to go and it is
safe to say that within a very few
hours after being ordered to move
that his troops would be headed
eastward on a rapid march. How-
ever, the Huns will undoubtedly
sign on the dotted line after blow-
ing off a little steam of indigna-
tion.

DON'T WAIT ON THE GERMANS.

Muskogee Times-Democrat: Nat-
urally the German leaders are mak-
ing a great howl about the peace
conditions imposed, but they are
going to sign the treaty just the
same. Foch and Pershing are stick-
ing around on the job and they
know perfectly well the sort of med-
icine to administer to the Germans
if they become recalcitrant. And
the Germans don't like that sort of
medicine. Every day the Times-
Democrat hears the question:
"What are the Germans going to
do?" What can they do but sign?
And they are getting off mighty
lucky at that. It's lucky for them
that the peace treaty was drawn in
Paris instead of Berlin. There are
a lot of high Germans who are
making the big noise now so that
in the future they can write in their
histories that they were never best-
ed in the war. They will, in time,
commence to teach that they were
tricked into an armistice, disarmed
before the treaty was signed, and
then forced to submit to its terms.
That will be the alibi the next gen-
eration of Germans will be taught
and it probably will be the founda-
tion for another German war some

day. But for the sacrifice of Amer-
ican and allied lives it might have
been well to have absolutely anni-
hilated the German armies before
an armistice was allowed so that
Germany and all Europe would
have no room for misunderstanding.
But all Germany is not worth the
lives such a policy would have de-
stroyed. In the meantime there is
no necessity for wasting time while
the German leaders protest and al-
ibi. Just lay the treaty down and
say to Germany, "Sign here, and do
it now." And that will not be "just
a scrap of paper" either.

Many American boys, returning
from the war, complain of the
crudeness of the English soldiers,
saying the Germans are more con-
genial. It is true the average Eng-
lishman, especially those of the no-
bility are snobbish, but we can eas-
ily forgive them this when we think
of the splendid manner in which
the women of England, both grand-
daughters an dpoorer classes, treated
our men while in England. They
were extraordinarily hospitable to
men of the American fleet, giving
them the freedom of their towns
and many informal social affairs
were given for their entertainment.
These good women of England have
offered our boys a type of hospital-
ity that many American women
would not understand. Many women
of the nobility of England left ser-
vantless by the great war, went in-
to the kitchens and brewed tea and
made cakes and served them to our
own boys, and cheered them in their
loneliness. Surely this was hospi-
tality in its most exquisite form.

The State Press

Shawnee News-Herald: Several
of the Republican senators were
sharp enough to be caught by Sen-
ator Lodge's request that they re-
frain from committing themselves
on the league of nations until they
could all talk over the revised draft
at a party conference. Incidentally,
the G. O. P. leaders felt that it was
perfectly all right to ask the sen-
ators to refrain from discussion un-
til they said the word but it was
all wrong for the president a few
weeks ago to ask members of con-
gress to refrain from public discus-
sion until after he had had oppor-
tunity to go over the provisions of
the draft with them.

Star-Democrat: Oklahoma will
spend during this year of grace
\$7,000,000 on dirt roads. Count
the dollars, seven million of them,
all spent on roads that will have to
be repaired continually and rebuilt
finally. This money will not be
spent by four men on one commis-
sion, but by 231 men on seventy
seven commissions. This money
will not be money thrown away—
it will be spread over dirt roads
that will wash away. But it will
be gone just the same. During the
next twenty five years we will spend
at the rate we are now going
\$175,000,000. Count the dollars—
one hundred and seventy five mil-
lion of them.

Star-Democrat: People who op-
posed the road bonds are cussing
the Star-Democrat for supporting
the bonds, people who supported
the bonds are cussing the Daily Ok-
lahoman for opposing the bonds,
and both the supporters of the
bonds and the opponents of the
bonds are cussing the Stonewall
News for remaining neutral. If
you want to enjoy life, try running
a newspaper.

Tulsa World: Immense sums of
money are being spent in I. W. W.
propaganda. As the I. W. W. men
are of the "won't work" class it is
manifest they are not providing the
funds. There's a barrel open some-
where and it is certainly not an
American barrel.

Tulsa World: We are glad to
learn, warbles the Kansas City Star,
that the old story about John D.
Rockefeller having been condemned
to an eternal diet of crackers and
milk was a falsehood. We never
placed much credence in it to start
with, and abandoned it entirely
when milk approached as much a
quart as gasoline sells for a gallon.

Irony, Wit or Both?

During the recent return voyage
of a regiment of Doughboys one of
the daily features of the transport
was a "newspaper" to which all
were invited to contribute. A gob,
after reading the "paper" one day,
wrote on the bottom of it: "Join
the navy and see the world." A
doughboy who was not overly pleas-
ed at the grub dished out to the
boys in khaki during the trip
chanced to see the gob's reportorial
effort and hastened to make the
following "ad":
"Join the army and see the dif-
ference."

They Helped Make a "Rep."

He was a United States Marine
and he was hurrying for parade.
On his chest were enough medals
to sink a battleship, following the
sight of which the inevitable tour-
ist hurried forward.
"Of-course, you got those for
bravery?"
The Marine stammered.
"Darned if I know," he answered.
"I think I got 'em for killing Bo-
che."
"And how you must have hated
those Germans."
"Us? The Marines? Hated 'the
Germans?" The Devil Dog grin-
ed. "Nothing of the kind. We were
grateful to 'em. Didn't they give
us the chance to make a rep?"

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DADDY'S EVENING

FAIRY TALE
By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE EXPENSIVE OYSTERS.

"Joy, and then much joy. Joy
and then much joy. Ah, once more
again I say it—joy and then much
joy."

"Well, Brother Oyster," said Oleo
Oyster, "why all the excitement and
the joy and the continued joy and the
joy which you say over again so many
times?"

"It's good news which I have for
you," said Brother Oyster.

"May we all listen to the good
news?" asked the other oysters, half
asleep in the oyster bed, but wide
enough awake to hear Brother Oyster.
They would hear nothing else just
then—but Brother Oyster was quite
quite different.

"Yes," said Oleo Oyster, "let us hear
the good news. Let us hear what you
have to tell us. You be a newspaper
and we'll be the readers. You tell us
everything."

"What do you know about newspa-
pers?" asked Brother Oyster.

"Just what you do," said Oleo
Oyster, "Well do I remember when a
creature in a boat was reading and
talking about the newspaper which
had all the news."

"Ah yes, you do remember, of
course, just as I do," said Brother
Oyster.

"Tell us of the joy," begged the oth-
er oysters.

"Pray tell us right away," urged
Oleo Oyster.

"I will tell you," said Brother
Oyster.

So he began.

"It's this way, ladies and gentlemen.
Mr. Treasurer, Mr. Secretary, Mr.
President, little children and cats and
dogs."

"But please, Brother Oyster," said
all the other oysters, "there are no la-
dies and no gentlemen here. There
are no cats and no dogs, there are no
little children. And we have no pres-
ident, no secretary and no treasurer."

"True, true; it is too true," said
Brother Oyster.

"What do you mean about it being
too true?" asked Oleo Oyster. "How
can anything be too true?"

"My dear Oleo," said Brother Oyster,
"I said that just as wise people will
say when they hear something which
is true. 'True, too true,' they will say,
and then they will wag their heads
wisely."

"I suppose," said Oleo, "that they
wag their heads when they say, 'Too
true,' because there isn't much sense
to it, and folks who wag their heads



"It's This Way, Ladies and Gentle-
men."

are foolish, it seems to me. One can-
not imagine an oyster wagging its
head and saying such foolish things.

"That is—" Oleo hastened to say—
"it isn't foolish to say such things but
wagging the head is very, very foolish.
Of course it is a waste of time to say
'too true,' when 'true' will do all by
itself."

"It might get lonely by itself," said
Brother Oyster.

"Yes," agreed the little oysters, "it
might. And besides we are wasting
Brother Oyster's time. We might be
hearing the joyful news."

"Yes, tell it to us," said all the
oysters.

"Once more I will begin," said
Brother Oyster, "and this time I will
not tell of the audience I might have
—an audience of ladies and gentlemen,
children and cats and dogs—but I will
talk to the audience I actually have."

"Fellow Oysters: It is cold this
winter. What is more it is freezing
cold. And what is still more the river
bed in which we are living has frozen
very solid. That is, the river has
frozen over, oh so strongly, and so se-
curely.

"This, Fellow Oysters, may not be
news to you. But I shall go further
in my speech than this. I will tell
you, Fellow Oysters, that great good
will come of this frozen river."

"I have heard that we are so hard
to get that we will be very, very ex-
pensive, and that they won't bother
to get many of us. They will find we
cost too much and so we won't go up
to the land and then go on people's
plates, and then go into people's
mouths."

"Great, great, great. We won't go
on a plate," all the oysters shouted
with glee.

Wash or Wear Gloves?

Little Bernice was getting ready to
go for a walk with her grandmother
and being asked if her hands were
clean she said:

"Not very. Shall I wash them or
put on my gloves?"

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PARTNERSHIP RETURNS MUST BE FILED SOON

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 16.—
Under the 1918 Revenue Law every
partnership and personal service cor-
poration must file a return with the
Collector of Internal Revenue
on Form 1065 regardless of the
amount of its gross or net in-
come.

A supply of Form 1065, Part-
nership and Personal Service Corpora-
tion Income Tax Return, has just
been received in the office of Hu-
bert L. Bolen, Collector of Internal
Revenue, Oklahoma City, Okla.

The time for filing this return
has been extended to June 15th,
1919, and blanks are being mailed
now to all partnerships and person-
al Service Corporations whose re-
quests are on file in the Collector's
office. All others requiring this
form may secure same upon request
made to Collector Bolen.

Form 1065 is a non-taxable re-
turn, but the penalty for failure to
make return on time, June 15, is a
fine of not more than \$1000.00.

Returns of Information.—Forms
1096-1099.

All corporations, partnerships
and individuals who paid to any in-
dividual during the year 1918, a sal-
ary, wages, rent, interest, or oth-
er fixed and determinable amount
of gains, profits and income amount-
ing to \$1000.00 or more, must file
with the commissioner of internal
revenue, Washington, D. C., on or
before June 15th, a return of in-
formation, form 1096, accompanied
by a form 1099, for each individual
to whom such an amount was paid.

Winn Up From Fort Worth.

Judge U. G. Winn is in from Ft.
Worth for a few days, shaking
hands with his many friends. He
is now in the oil game and doing
well. He ran into the Ada fish-
ing party at Hugo Saturday and
remained until yesterday with the
pleasure seekers. He says all mem-
bers of the party are well and feel-
ing great. They are getting as
much fish as they want with the
possible exception of Bill Coffman.
Bill believes he can eat a few more
when he really gets warmed up to
the game. The party will be home
in a few days.

RUMANIA WILL QUIT.

PEACE ENVOYS HEAR.

GENEVA, May 16.—The Ruman-
ian delegation may possibly with-
draw from the peace conference.
Advices from Paris, made public by
the Rumanian bureau at Berne, say
that owing to the decision of the
council of ten to divide Banat be-
tween Serbia and Rumania, Premier
Bratianu and the Rumanian delega-
tion will quit Paris unless there is
a modification of the terms. These
are considered by Rumanians to be
unacceptable.

Laconic!

Jiggs: The Germans regarded
fighting as a tonic.
Biggs: Yes, and found it Teuto-
nic.—Cartoons Magazine.

Bring in that picture and let me
frame it for you.—C. A. Cummins.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

METHODIST CENTENARY

MACHINE READY TO GO.

The Methodism of the United
States is primed and ready to go
into the drive for \$110,000,000 for
world betterment to be staged May
18-25. Oklahoma is organized and
Ada is ready to be off with the
bunch.

Ada's quota is \$15,000.00 and every
Ada Methodist is deeply inter-
ested in the outcome of the week's
drive. Team Captains will rally
their forces in a meeting to be held
this evening at 8:30 in the auditor-
ium of the First Methodist church.
There will be brief, snappy talks
and cards will be assigned the work-
ers to cover the number of inter-
views they may be able to make be-
fore Sunday evening.

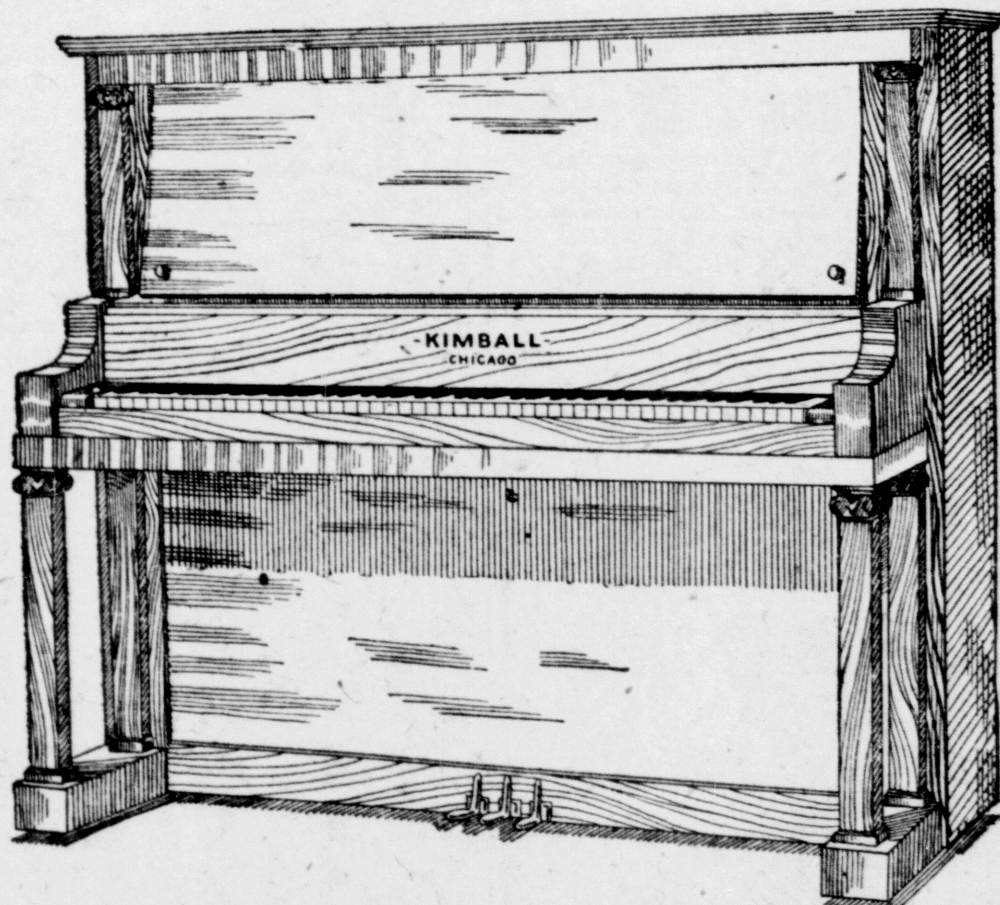
Sunday at 3 and 8:30 p. m. there
will be Mass Meetings at the
church with programs including lay
speakers and lively music. At the
evening meeting reports will be re-

ceived from Team Captains as to
the amounts secured during the af-
ternoon.

Centenary Quota \$15,000.

The laymen and women of the
Methodist church will ask every
member for a pledge to apply on
this quota of fifteen thousand dol-
lars. They will be coming to you
next week. Just as you bought Lib-
erty Bonds on the installment plan,
you are to be allowed to make
your pledge to the Centenary to
run through five years. Let every
member and every friend of the
Methodist church respond cordial-
ly when waited on by any of our
workers. Liberty Bonds accepted
at par. A one hundred dollar bond
has already been received as first
payment on a \$500.00 subscription.
THE CENTENARY CABINET.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.



Don't Take Our Word For It

Visit our store today and prove to your
own satisfaction the exceptional merits of
the KIMBALL PIANOS and PLAYER
PIANOS.

A beautiful display of grand Pianos, up-
right Pianos, player Pianos in variety to
give ample choice for the right Piano for
your home.

CONVENIENT TERMS

Ada Music Company

Harris Hotel Building—Ada, Oklahoma
Pianos—Phonographs—Player Pianos

A Real "Made in U.S.A." Dinner for Sunday

Madam, behold our window! There you will find your Sunday Dinner.

GREEN BEANS
NEW POTATOES
FRESH TOMATOES
SQUASH
SWEET PEPPERS

CRISP LETTUCE
RHUBARB
STRAWBERRIES
CUCUMBERS

—All you need to add to this list is grease, salt and bread—
—Presto! A Fine Dinner.

POTATO CHIPS

Try our fresh, dainty, crisp Potato Chips. Fine for table or for a picnic lunch.

SUNSHINE PRODUCTS

Our showing of Sunshine Bakery Products is unexcelled. We carry a complete line. Name your wants. We can fill them.

GO BACK TO OUR MARKET

—and take a look at the superb line of Fresh and Cured Meats, Country Style Ham, Dressed Poultry, Beef and Pork Sausage, Spareribs, Pork Chops, Bulk Mince Meat and everything else in season.

STONE'S CAKES

Six varieties of as good cake as you ever ate. Give your order at once.

STANFIELD'S

GROCERY AND MARKET

THREE PHONES—402

THE unprecedented demand for soft materials for midsummer wear is successfully shown in our new models of georgette and silk.

Also a variety of Milans, Leghorns, Hairbraids and Maline Hats.

Unmatched Values

GLINES-BATELL MILLINERY

Harris Hotel Building.

Rains Bros. GROCERY

Something real good in Fresh Fruits and Vegetables for the balance of this week.

New English Peas, per lb. .15c
New Green Beans per lb. .15c
New Potatoes per lb. .12c
New Squash per lb. .15c
New Cucumbers, Each .10c
New Head lettuce large, ea 10c
New Cabbage per lb. .10c
New Onions per Bunch .05c
New Radishes .05c
Fresh Rhubarb per lb. .10c
Fresh Tomatoes per lb. .20c
Fresh Pineapples, Each .20c
Fresh Grapefruit Each .15c

We have anything you need in the Grocery Line. Call us before buying your next bill.

Pay Cash—Pay Less

CAPTIVE YANKS PRINTED OWN "BARBED WIRELESS."

Even the discomforts and actual hardships of a German prison camp failed to dishearten the American soldier and proof of this is that although handicapped by the fact that he had no printing press the irrepressible Yank prisoner succeeded in getting out one rollicking newspaper, the Rastatt "Barbed Wire-

less." The armistice was declared soon after the advent of the first edition of the laboriously pencilled sheet and with the liberated Americans making their way toward home the paper made no second appearance. One soldier preserved the original copy, however, and several of its interesting pages are reproduced in the June number of the New Red Cross Magazine, in which also Frank Ward O'Malley tells of the brief but joyous career of the "greatest newspaper in captivity." "One has no doubt that in time the 'Barbed Wireless' would have waxed more ambitious, perhaps even to the extent of adding a colored supplement 'printed in beet marmalade,'" writes Mr. O'Malley. "But one November day, when things were particularly dull within the enclosure, a most marvelous message arrived in camp a few minutes after the clock had struck one in the afternoon. The armistice had been signed! And, of equal importance, a paragraph of the document insisted that all Allied prisoners were to be liberated forthwith! There were cheers—a few, but chiefly the great joy that surged through the hearts of the caged young eagles Rastatt took the form of bearhugs, wild cavortings, meaningless yelps of song, a scramble to pack up one's pitifully scant belongings with a hurly-burly of haste that indicated that every American mother's son in camp fully expected to board the 1:30 ferry for New York or never see home again."

NEW BETHEL ITEMS.

We are having some wet, muddy weather at this writing, as a result the farmers are getting behind with their work.

Quite a crowd of young folks from this vicinity attended the exhibition at Tyrola Saturday night. They all reported a nice time.

Miss Minnie Hart spent Friday night with Miss Bertha Sparkman. Mrs. Robbie Plassheart spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Bill Myers.

Misses Alice and Myrtle Chandler and Miss Bertha Sparkman visited the school Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Daniels are the guests of his mother at Francis. Dorrie Myers spent Saturday night with Latha Sparkman.

An Old Time Saying

By RAY ARLINGTON

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It was the most delicate and melodious respiration possible, but three pairs of smiling eyes turned involuntarily toward Ethel Briggs, and the sprightliest of the trio, Lora Vance, familiarly quoted:

"Sneeze on Tuesday and kiss a stranger!"

In pretty exaggerated indignation Ethel directed a mock resentment at the speaker.

"improbable and impossible!" she declared with confidence, and the incident drifted into obscurity amid the casual chatter of the hour.

Ethel was a heart-free, winsome being, on a week's visit to Aida Prescott. There were two other girl guests and Lora was one of them. A fourth was expected that evening or on the train next morning. Ethel had announced her intention of meeting her at the depot. Lora, Aida and Dora Wayne stole off to a movie show about 7 o'clock. Ethel waited half an hour and went out into the hall to put on a wrap and a hat, to find Lora had assumed the fancy of using those parts of her wardrobe, leaving her own picture hat and audaciously loud checked wrap in their place. Friendly exchange of this character was a common feature with the group, and there was nothing better to do than to accept the situation and make the best of it. The depot was only a few squares distant and Ethel soon reached it. She remained outside on the platform, walking up down its length, and rousing to vigilance and interest as the train, comprised of three coaches, came to a stop.

Ethel centered her attention on the two rear cars. She was somewhat disappointed as, watching the car platform and scanning the interior of the coaches through the windows, she made out nothing of her expected friend.

"She will come on the morning train," decided Ethel, and was about to start away when the last passenger of the smoker swung off, caught a side view of the wrap that enveloped Ethel, hastened toward her, threw one arm about her and imprinted a warm, resounding kiss on one cheek.

Ethel uttered a suppressed scream. If some one had fired a cannon ball at her she could not have been more astounded. With vim she tore herself free from the embrace of the new arrival. Her eyes glowed with poorly suppressed indignation, her lovely face assumed an angry flush.

"How dare you!" she quavered, and her dainty fists clenched tightly. She had swung quite within the radius of the platform light. The stranger recoiled two steps as though he had been driven back by a blow. His face was a void of consternation and embarrassment.

"Thunder!" he exclaimed, and the genuineness of his emotion was evidenced by the fact that he blankly dropped the satchel he carried, and stood rooted, staring at Ethel like a person turned to stone.

Ethel was tingling all over, trembling, on fire with a resentfulness she was too ladylike to express in words.

Then, strange vicissitude of girlish emotion, she felt the smarting tears come to her eyes. Angrily striving to suppress them she briskly rubbed the tell-tale pink spot on her cheek with her handkerchief. She shot another wrathful glance at the stranger. Was he audacious or simply a clown? His eyes were riveted upon her. His face was a vast blank. He stood like a statue, unmindful of the fallen satchel, like a person fairly hypnotized. Still, there was nothing of defiance, ridicule or rudeness in his eyes. He tried to speak.

"Regret—mistake—pardon—" were parts of disconnected sentences that floated to Ethel's hearing, but, with a pettish, spiteful air, Ethel hurried across the street. What should she tell her friends? Should she tell them anything at all?

She entered the house, flushed, trembling and excited. The girls had not yet returned. Somehow she could not get her mind away from the incident of the evening. Ethel roamed about the house, disturbed and restless. When there came a ring at the door bell she hastened to respond to it, hoping it was Lora and the others returned from their mild evening dissipation. Ethel opened the door. It was her turn now to pose stupefied. There stood the man of the depot, the owner of the lips that had swept her dainty cheek!

"Thunder!" he again uttered, and before he could speak further, and before Ethel could arouse herself, gay voices and lively, tripping footsteps announced the coming of Lora and her companions.

"Why, Bartley!" exclaimed Lora, rushing up to the stranger and kissing him rapturously.

"Girls, my brother—Miss Prescott, Bartley, and Miss Vernon, and our dearest, cleverest of all, Ethel Briggs," introduced Lora, and Ethel understood, but in the face of a calamity for—she sneezed!

"Kiss a stranger!" whispered bright-eyed Lora mischievously, and Bartley Vance heard as well, and his face reflected the damask hue of Lora's, and in her forgiving smile he fancied he read a presage of closer friendship in the future.

WANT ADS

Classified advertising will be charged for at the rate of one cent per word each insertion, with a minimum charge of 15c for first insertion. The little want adv. is the biggest puller in the world for securing help, selling anything you may want to sell, renting out your property, securing rooms, etc., and gets results immediately.

LOST

LOST—Starting crank for Reo car. Please return to F. E. Bowman. 5-16-3t

WANTED

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing. Phone 422. Miller Bros. 5-1-1mo.

WANTED—To buy an iron safe. Wacker's Variety Store. 5-15-3t

WANTED—Your suit to clean and press for \$1.50.—Smathers Cleaning Works. Phone 437. 5-2-tf

WANTED—Woman for general house work. Phone 315 or call at 704 West 5th St. 5-15-tf

WANTED—Housekeeping or practical nursing by middle aged widow. 531 West 16th. 5-14-3t*

MISCELLANEOUS

OLD MATTRESSES—Made new. Edd Smith, W. 7th St. Phone 413. 5-1-1m

DANCING—Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights, Dreamland Hall, 107 South Stockton. 5-9-1m

FOR LEASE—One 5 room house and barn, several acres of grass land, one block of orchard. Apply to R. E. Hodges, 801 West 4th. 5-14-4t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice bedrooms. Phone 659-R. 4-2-tf.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house keeping. Phone 224. 5-16-tf

FOR RENT—6 room modern house. Inquire 621 West 9th St. 5-2-tf

FOR RENT—5 room house. See R. H. Todd, 730 West 9th. 5-14-4t*

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished. 231 East 14th. Phone 716. 2-25-tf

FOR RENT—Modern apartment. No children.—Mrs. Kee, 117 East 14th. 4-16-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Phone 612. 230 East 14th. 4-29-tf

FOR RENT—2 front rooms with water and gas. Garden planted. 523 16th and Cherry.—Mrs. Salmon. 5-9-tf

FOR RENT—Four-room modern dwelling, two blocks from Harris Hotel, L. A. Braly. Call 73 or 338. 5-9-tf.

FOR RENT—Southeast bed room, handsomely furnished, adjoining bath, private family. Phone 303. 5-16-3t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Railroad claim blanks. The Ada News.

FOR SALE—Remington Typewriter. Phone 594. 4-15-tf

FOR SALE—2 lots on 18th and Johnson. Price \$300. Phone 156. 5-8-tf

FOR SALE—3 room residence, 311 East 12th St. Phone 524-J. 1-14-5t

FOR SALE—Some Oil State Oil Stock.—Mrs. J. M. Taylor, Phone 5. 5-13-4t*

FOR SALE—My five room residence, corner Sixth and Cherry.—T. W. Brydia. tf

FOR SALE—Last year's alfalfa hay, No. 1 grade; weight 72 lbs. per bale.—Ada Ice and Cold Storage. 5-13-tf

FOR SALE—One piano good as new. Bargain for cash; also furniture for 5 rooms; apartment will be for rent. 215 East 13th. Phone 887. 5-5-tf

FOR SALE—In fee; 60 acres of good agricultural land, 40 acres in cultivation, new 2 room house, near the Conway Oil Well, not leased. Land is worth the price I am asking without the oil rights but all goes.—J. A. Cowling, Stonewall, Okla. 5-14-4t

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of 1919 Season

East Central Normal

—Against—

Catholic University of Shawnee

ON NORMAL GROUNDS

Saturday Afternoon at 2 o'clock Sharp

35 Cents Admission

Statement of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ADA, OKLAHOMA

At the Close of Business May 12, 1919.

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts	\$659,398.55
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,600.00
U. S. Bonds	43,750.00
Real Estate Furniture and Fixtures	22,850.00
Liberty Bonds	\$ 78,100.00
Bonds and Other Securities	33,166.79
Treasury Certificates	50,000.00
Bills of Exchange	41,638.00
Cash in Vault, with other banks and U. S. Treasurer	262,168.88
TOTAL	\$1,194,372.22

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	31,770.94
Circulation	41,750.00
Bills Payable and Re-Discounts	203,894.52
DEPOSITS	816,956.76
TOTAL	\$1,194,372.22

The above Statement is correct.

TOM KING, Cashier.
P. A. NORRIS,
M. D. TIMBERLAKE,
W. C. DUNCAN, Directors.

PRICES FOR ALL COMMODITIES ADVANCED IN APRIL

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Wholesale prices for all commodities advanced one per cent during the month of April, according to the figures of Dun's Review, which seem to confirm the statement recently issued by the U. S. Department of Labor.

The number of commodities advancing from week to week has been in excess of the number of declines through the entire month of April. Dun's review shows, on March 1 the index number for wholesale prices for all commodities was 6.9 per cent under the high level of Oct. 1. On April 1 it was 5.7 per cent under the Oct. 1 figures, and, on May 1, only 4.7 per cent below it.

The belief that prices have been stabilized has obtained widespread acceptance in newspapers and trade magazines that reflect varying shades of opinion. The Federal Reserve Board in a statement concerning business conditions, issued

to the press on May 6, commented on the price situation as follows:

"Possibly the most conspicuous feature of the business situation is found in the fact that prices have apparently been somewhat stabilized. Marked declines are still reported here and there in some special lines, but from nearly all districts it is reported that the uncertainty concerning prices has been mitigated and that business men now expect that existing levels of prices will be substantially maintained for some time to come."

Troubles of an Expert.

"Another member of the staff wants a raise—says he can't live on his salary of \$40 a week." "Who is it?" "Bullem, the bachelor editor of our woman's page. He writes those interesting articles on how to support a family of four on \$15 a week."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The Ford Sedan is a car with refined appointments, many conveniences, and with all the economy and satisfaction characterized by Ford cars. It is a popular car among women who drive. It meets every social demand, every family want, every day of the year regardless of weather. Equally useful in city or country, price \$775; Coupe, \$650; Runabout, \$500; Touring Car, \$525; Truck Chassis, \$550. These prices f. o. b. Detroit.

W. E. HARVEY

229-231 East Main.

Drink
Coca-Cola
DELICIOUS and REFRESHING

Coca-Cola is a perfect answer to thirst that no imitation can satisfy.

Coca-Cola quality, recorded in the public taste, is what holds it above imitations.

Demand the genuine by full name—nicknames encourage substitution.

THE COCA-COLA CO.
ATLANTA, GA.



Sold Everywhere

TEACHERS PLAY GAME TOMORROW

LAST GAME OF SEASON AT HOME TO BE AGAINST CATHOLICS SATURDAY.

The baseball team of East Central will play the last game of the season at home tomorrow, when it meets the strong nine from the Catholic University at Shawnee. While the teachers were able to defeat the churchmen at Shawnee some time ago, reports have it that the latter team has been strengthened recently and a might combination will be here tomorrow.

Prof. Newcomb has been giving his men hard workouts the last few days, getting ready for this combat. Ingram is in perfect condition for hurling a great game. His control has improved with the advancement of the season, his curves are breaking better and the fielders are giving him better support.

The same line-up will be used as was used in the Roff game, so far as announced thus far. Of course, at the last minute Coach Newcomb may decide to send in some new men. The regulars are working well, however, and there is likely to be no change.

Cannon will be used behind the bat. Gordon will hold the initial sack. Wimbish will take care of the middle sack and Gilmore handle all drives towards third base. Roach will be seen taking all chances in the short stop territory.

In the garden John Skinner will take care of the left part. Anderson right and Craig or Vernon the middle.

The Normal team has played some good games this season, better than the patronage of the town shows. All those connected with the Normal are working to bring the athletic standing of the school back to pre-war days. They need the assistance and encouragement of the town. A big crowd tomorrow will be worth much in giving enthusiasm and hope for another year.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 60c. Sold by Bart Smith. (Adv.)

RUMANIANS EATING AMERICAN FLOUR

By the Associated Press
BELGRADE, Serbia, April 3.—(By Mail)—“All Rumania is eating flour from America today. The people realize where the aid has come from and are exceedingly grateful. Without American help starvation certainly would have become very general.” These are the words of Lieutenant Colonel H. Gideon Wells, American Red Cross Commissioner to Rumania, who recently arrived at Belgrade from Bucharest.

Colonel Wells said the great bulk of the Rumanian food supply, including about twenty thousand tons of flour monthly, is furnished by the American Food Administration. It is sold in wholesale quantities to the government, which attends to all details of transportation and distribution. Flour trains run continually from the ports to the interior and have the right-of-way over all other transport. The supply is being well-handled and there is no longer danger of starvation except in isolated areas, particularly in the Dobrudja region, where local transport is excessively difficult.

Supplementary to the Food Administration program the American Red Cross Commission to Rumania has already developed a nation-wide food and clothing relief program which aims particularly at the relief of the destitute, the welfare of orphans, the organization of sewing-rooms and the general amelioration of conditions. This effort has had the hearty co-operation of the Rumanian government. From King Ferdinand and Queen Marie to the last clerk, the Rumanian people are very grateful, and “to be an American is to be honored.”

The Commission to Rumania has fifty-four members, about evenly divided between men and women. Lieutenant Colonel H. Gideon Wells is commissioner and general director. The commission is the creation of the Commission to the Balkan states which now has headquarters at Rome, and of which Colonel Henry Anderson of Richmond, Virginia, is the commissioner-in-chief. The general program of the Balkan Commission, already effectively applied in Serbia, Rumania, Greece, Albania and Montenegro is one of emergency relief.

The Commission to Serbia operates southward from Belgrade and northward from Saloniki under direction of Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas W. Farnam of New Haven, Conn.

The Commission to Greece is well organized, with headquarters at Athens and supplied food, clothing, medical relief and other aid in the part of Macedonia evacuated by the Bulgarians during the period when thousands of refugees were returning to their homes. At this time the medical personnel of this commission is combating typhus in eastern Macedonia.

WHOLESALE PLAN OF GRAFT EXPOSED

By the Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 14.—The story of the machinations of an alleged syndicate of swindlers whose cunning may rival that of the notorious Maybreys gang is being slowly unfolded by federal authorities here. Meanwhile twelve men charged with being members of the syndicate which had its headquarters at Muncie, Ind., are under arrest for using the mails to defraud.

The investigation has progressed far enough to convince federal authorities that the gang gleaned a huge fortune from wealthy men of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Missouri, and then sealed the lips of the victims by staging a “fatal” prize fight. L. Ert Slack, United States attorney, has not made public the names of the victims.

The chief trick of the gang was to make an acquaintance and then whisper of a proposition involving purchase of real estate from an Englishman, whose dishonest secretary was letting the property go for a sum far under its real value.

The victim is induced to get \$10,000 cash, and the “Englishman” is introduced, but just before closing the deal the Englishman, a great lover of sports, decides to go away to attend a sporting event. To keep him present a boxing match is arranged.

The coming contest creates great interest and those on the inside learn that it is to be a “fixed” event. The victim enters the inner circle; he sees thousands of dollars pass hands; he is even made stakeholder for a night; the pot keeps growing sometimes reaching \$200,000, before the victim himself finally decides to take a “flier.”

The money, put in a bag, is taken to the ringside. After a few rounds one fighter is knocked out. He bleeds profusely, chicken blood being used, and then it is announced amid great excitement that the fighter is dead. There is a hurried conference concerning a probable murder charge; one seizes the money bag and calling to the others to meet him tomorrow, departs in great haste. The victim is solemnly cautioned to remain quiet.

After a time he is informed that the money was used to fix the authorities. In some cases the victim has even furnished additional funds to gain “freedom,” authorities say.

Names of eleven of the twelve men under arrest have been announced. They are Elmer Boucher, Arthur Betts, Joseph W. Engleton, Rose E. McDonald, Hugh McGann, alias H. McGinnis, Henry Schober, Edward Daniel Siler, Chauncey Stillson, Marion Jacks, Lafayette S. Scott, alias Sloan, alias W. H. K. Pearson and William R. Collins, alias George Armstrong, alias James C. Carlton. Collins is alleged to have been the “brains” of the syndicate.

The alleged syndicate was uncovered by postoffice inspectors investigating complaints of unauthorized use of letter heads of a big business concern.

Ice Users

We Are Trying to Hold the Price of Ice Down.

Fuel alone cost us 5c per 100 lbs. more to manufacture ice than it did last year. Labor, and all material, has advanced over last year's costs some items of supplies in steel and repair parts are quadrupled.

In order to keep the price down it is necessary that you co-operate with us, we need help to do this, and to accomplish this it is necessary to make some changes in our sales system. In order to properly check our business we will have only one price to everybody. Drivers are not authorized to make rates.

Use COUPON BOOKS and get the lowest price. Telephone to the office or tell the driver the pounds of ice wanted at a delivery, and he will give you the price on the kind of book suited to your needs.

Ada Ice & Cold Storage Co.

PURITAN OIL COOK STOVES



“BOILING, simmering and baking can all be done at the same time—the Puritan gives just the right heat for each. You set your utensil in a clean, hot flame that comes up through the grate—like gas.”

From Puritan advertising—Country Gentleman—May 3, 1919.

Easy cooking hours—and a clean, cool kitchen always. Flame indicator on each burner shows low, medium, high—at full heat the indicator's automatic wick stop prevents smoking. Burners are brass—last for years.

Reversible Glass Oil Reservoir

A clean, quick way to handle the ideal cooking fuel—kerosene oil.

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See your dealer or write for free Puritan booklet No. 24.

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W. M. HUMPHREYS OF FRANKS DIES AT LOVING.

W. M. Humphreys of Franks, Oklahoma, passed from this life May 7th at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Tomlin of Loving, Oklahoma. He was born in St. Clair County, Mo., August 3, 1849. When about 20 years of age he joined the Methodist church. In 1877 he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Helmick of Missouri.

Mr. Humphreys had been in bad health for 3 years, but not serious until three months ago, when he suffered a severe attack of the "flu" from which he never fully recovered, being 70 years of age. Medical aid did no good. He and his wife came down on a visit three weeks ago. He was taken worse and was never able to return home. He is survived by a wife and 4 children. His children are R. W. Humphreys of Franks, Oklahoma; Mrs. J. W. Tomlin, Heavener, Oklahoma; Mrs. R. W. Tomlin, Loving, Oklahoma; and Charlie Humphreys, the youngest son, now in France. The worry over his boy was thought to help bring about his death. His prayers were to only live to meet his son once more, but God thought best to call him home.

The remains were laid to rest in the Loving cemetery.—A Friend.

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AMERICAN RECORD OF BUILDING FOR WAR

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Even in America "the greatest builder of the past," no feat of construction has ever approached that involved in the completion in 90 days of 16 cantonments for the national army and 16 tent cities for the national guard, says the official war "material" history made public today by the War Department. The task involved the erection and equipment of 32 cities capable of accommodating 40,000 persons each, with all the requisite water, lighting, sewerage, hospital and heating utilities, and in addition the preparation of the strictly military features, such as parade grounds and rifle and artillery ranges.

The feature comforts enjoyed by the American soldier of 1917 is contrasted with those afforded the man of '61-'65. Substantial barracks heated by steam or stoves, took the place of tents; chemically pure water replaced that secured from the casual spring or stream; scientific laundries cared for the national army recruit's clothing, and field bakeries gave him the modern successor to the army hoe cake.

Lumber used in the cantonments alone, the report says, was equivalent to a board-walk 12 inches wide and one inch thick "to the moon and half way back" while the nails of one popular size would "girdle the earth 3 1-2 times."

The race between the contractors to complete the cantonments in the time for the initial draft is eloquently described, the builder of Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., winning by a narrow margin. The cantonments occupied 167,741 acres of land, which cost an average of \$3.93 per acre, and the contractors' profits were given as less than 2 1-2 per cent of the gross cost of construction.

Expenditures for the cantonments represented 70 per cent of the total for the Panama Canal, but the time consumed was less than 90 days against 10 years for the canal. Supplementary building projects undertaken by the department aggregated a much larger project than the cantonments and included enormous storehouses, factories for various purposes, proving grounds, army posts, embarkation facilities, docks, magazines, railroads, aviation fields and hospitals.

"On November 11, 1918," the report says, "the construction division was conducting 535 operations in 442 localities involving an expenditure of \$1,000,000,000. These touched every state but one."

As the construction crews developed teamwork, remarkable instances of speed were reported. Precautions taken to assist the contractors included the detail of a disbursing officer on the spot "with the check book ready" so that material could be paid on delivery, and so that special equipment could be obtained at a fair rental and a steady flow of building materials be insured. The last feature finally necessitated the sending of soldiers into the forest to cut logs and piles and to load them on railroad cars which were guarded by soldiers to their destination.

When a shortage of stoves threatened the health of the new army, officers of the construction division were sent to the factories to speed up production with the result that the army "obtained 15,000 in 3 months although that number is a year's output of the industry."

Fire prevention at the various army projects was so efficient that the per capita loss was only 46 cents compared with the civilian rate of \$2.42.

Had Had His Fling.

Ted's mother has given him an allowance of ten cents a week, but she has tried to encourage him to save some of it as a matter of training. Last Saturday she asked him how much he had left. He looked rather chagrined at first and then finally confessed that he had spent it all. His mother appeared sorrowful, until Ted added with enthusiasm: "But, say, I sure have lived like a prince for once."

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Bart Smith. (Adv.)

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Awarding of contract for \$20,000 High school building in Allen, Pontotoc County, Okla., on the 16th day of June, 1919. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Tonini & Bramblet at Oklahoma City or at First State Bank at Allen, Okla. 5-15-5td—4tw

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It was in the autumn of 1808, that the first bunch of chrysanthemums was seen in Paris, brought by a Frenchman from far-off Japan. His first care was to present them to the Empress Josephine, who was delighted with the flowers and introduced their cultivation in French gardens.—Christian Science Monitor.

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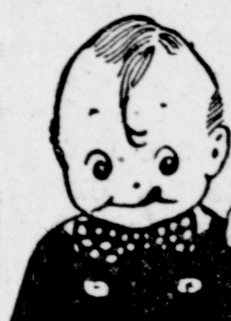
1 Level teaspoon salt
4 Level cups flour
4 Level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder.
Lemon flavor

How to Make It: Cream one cup of sugar with the shortening until light, separate eggs and work in yolks. Beat the egg whites with balance of sugar to a stiff froth and add. Next stir in one cup of flour and then add milk. Last stir in balance of flour well sifted with baking powder. Bake in medium oven.

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MUCH DESTITUTION IN CZECHO-SLOVAKIA.

PARIS, France, April 18.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—A woman has been entrusted with the big task of organizing and administering relief work in one of Europe's new states in Czecho-Slovakia.

Lady Muriel Paget, an English woman whose devotion to the Czecho-Slovak cause is well known, arrived here from Prague today after a month's tour of the new republic, and outlined to The Associated Press correspondent her scheme for the relief of that country. Her plan, which has the approval of the Czecho-Slovak authorities, is to enlist a body of able and willing social workers to train the women of Czecho-Slovakia in social welfare work. Her ambition is to interest patriotic Czech women in America in the welfare of their native land. "There are roughly five million people in Czecho-Slovakia today who have just enough to keep body and soul together," Lady Muriel said. "Against these, who may be described as the rural population, there are 7,000,000 who are below the line of bare existence. They are, broadly speaking, the industrial and mining population."

"Food, most of it from America,

is now coming into the country through Trieste at the rate of about a hundred carloads a day; yet 400,000 people in eastern Slovakia are starving, and even in the better situated parts the flour ration is only 3 lbs. a head per month."

Lady Muriel explained how this situation is utilized by the Magyars in Hungary to sow discontent among the Slovaks.

"Practically all the intelligent classes have left Slovakia," Lady

Muriel continued, "and it is during the present crisis and until their own people can be trained to do constructive and administrative work that the Czecho-Slovak government and the people have asked me to organize temporary assistance and provide advice."

Lady Muriel will establish her relief headquarters at Pressburg from which center the sixteen necessitous Slovakian districts will be fed, clothed and medically assisted.

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REFINERY AT FRANCIS.

Local Men Watching Process With Enthusiasm.

Few people, even in this immediate vicinity realize that Pontotoc county is to have a real refinery or that it is even now nearing completion.

Just out of Francis, on one of the most convenient sites in the entire state such a refinery is being built to take care of the production from the Francis field. Here the natural elevation produces the proper gravitation for loading the finished products and forms a natural sewer system for the waste matter which accumulates in the process of refining the crude material.

This site was selected because of these facts and because such a condition would eliminate, at least, one half the machinery necessary for the average refinery.

The capacity of service at the present writing is estimated at a unit of 300 barrels daily and will be enlarged to 1,000 barrels before the first of the year. They are now running a three mile pipe line into the heart of the Francis field and are in position to handle the present production.

The agitator and condenser boxes

are on the ground and all building material necessary will be in by June 1, and the work on outside buildings is advancing in like rapidity.

This refinery at Francis is looked upon as a great boon to the local men who are interested in the drilling now being done in the Francis field.

Mr. Wood, of the Francis Refinery, claims the oil from the new well is a better grade than yet found, giving it a splendid asphalt base with an estimate of one part kerosene and two parts gasoline. Mr. Wood makes the official tests for the refinery and says this grade of oil would make a splendid steam refined cylinder oil.

Capt. George A. Akers arrived today with his honorable discharge from the medical department of the army. He enlisted at the beginning of the war and spent nine months in France, part of the time being on the Argonne section where the fighting was fiercest. He landed in America May 5. He expects to resume his medical practice here.

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LOOKS LIKE BUSINESS

OIL STATE CO. BUILDING TANKS AND INSTALLING PUMP TO HANDLE OUTPUT.

Oil matters are progressing in the Francis field and the coming summer promises great activity. The Oil State people are busy making arrangements to handle the oil from their new well and expect by Monday to have their tank erected and pump installed. The company has contracted to sell its product in storage to the Francis Refinery which insures an immediate income.

Three other wells are to be drilled at an early date which will doubtless lead to further development. Francis is elated at the prospects and already sees itself one of the coming oil centers of the state. Everyone in Pontotoc county hopes she may realize her fondest expectations and if Francis should become a second Tulsa there will be no jealous hearts in Ada.

High prices are ruling for leases in the vicinity of the new well. \$5,000 was refused for 40 acres a quarter of a mile away, the offer being made by Tulsa parties. A number of tracts have changed hands at prices which would have seemed exorbitant a short while back.

DIRIGIBLE LOST IN SEA STORM

By the Associated Press

TREPASSEY, N. F., May 16.—The navy dirigible C-5, swept to sea in a gale yesterday, is now believed lost. The destroyer Edwards which went in pursuit reported she had been unable to find her and was returning. The merchant steamer which had previously reported she was standing by the big balloon subsequently sent a message to the effect that she was unable to stand by longer and proceeded on her way, according to information by wireless from the destroyer Edwards. One man was aboard when the dirigible broke from her moorings, but he jumped to the ground.

Before the accident occurs, let us reline your brakes at the Service Garage, this is the day—do it now! 5-15-31

AMERICAN FIGHTERS IN NORTHERN RUSSIA

(NOTE—Throughout the campaign in Northern Russia where American soldiers have fought the Bolsheviks as comrades in a polyglot little army of British, French, Russians, Poles and elements of six other nationalities, a correspondent of The Associated Press, with headquarters at Archangel, has forwarded frequent dispatches reporting the progress of the fighting. The correspondent now has sent by mail several interesting articles narrating some of the remarkable phases of the campaign and giving illuminating sidelights on the adventures of the Americans and their Allies in the far north. Subjoined is one of his letters.)

ARCHANGEL, March 20.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The tabloid warfare that the American doughboys and a miscellaneous collection of Allies have been waging against the Bolsheviks up in Aurora Borgalis land since the landing of an Allied corporal's guard at Archangel, on August, has had most of the thrills of the big war in France, with a few pet perils all of its own.

In the summer, it was a game of bushwacking, boy scouting, hide and seek and Indian fighting in the swamps, with the added attractions of airplanes, shrapnel, high explosives, trench mortars, gunboats and armored trains. In winter when the thermometer registers around 30 degrees below zero, it is something like an Eskimo tribal feud, the Eskimos being equipped with all modern devices for putting their opponents out of the combat.

The Allied North Russian Expeditionary Force whose backbone is the Yak doughboy, has been fighting during the winter against double, or triple or quadruple odds. These Yanks and Tommies and poilus and half a dozen varieties of Russians and Poles have been scattered out in thin columns operating over a territory about as large as Germany and colder than Medicine Hat or Moose Jaw. There were seven or eight of these columns and they branched out like a palm leaf fan from its handle, which is Archangel, stretching far and wide from the wastes of the Pechora river on the shores of the Arctic ocean not very far from the Siberian boundary, to the scarcely less frozen country of Onega bay, west of Archangel, where they connect with the Murmansk, or Kola force.

Each of these columns has penetrated inland, along railroad, highroad, river or forest trail, into the territory of the Bolsheviks and, on most of them, Yanks have been at the far-front, where the trouble is thickest. And, as most of the Americans who have met John Bolshevik face to face will tell you, as a troublemaker, John is active especially when he has one outnumbered and outgunned.

Back in the early days of summer, before they really knew very much about it, the powers-that-were who planned this expedition had a very poor opinion of the Bolsheviks' fighting qualities. When the original Archangel expeditionary force which set sail from Murmansk, on Kola Bay, this corporal's guard that was to successfully invade the largest country in the world consisted of 1,400 men. Fifty American blue-jackets from the U. S. S. Olympia who were among these Russian "Old Contemptibles" were the first to set their feet upon the dock at Archangel. When the allies landed the Bolsheviks had gone.

This original expedition of 1,400 included British sailors and marines, French soldiers and sailors, American sailors, Russians, Poles and a scattering representation of six other nationalities, eleven in all. It was all cluttered up with officers. There were two British generals, colonels and lieutenant colonels, a horde of majors and great flocks of captains—the idea being that one would need plenty of officers to direct the Russian forces which were eagerly awaiting to spring to arms. Most of these officers are quite busy at other jobs, while they are still waiting for the Russians to spring. And the Russians do not seem at all eager to do so.

This force split itself up into two or three columns that set out to take Vologda, on the railroad, and Ketlass, on the Dvina. The Bolsheviks, it seems, were expecting a much larger landing force, and they occurred very fast at first. In the past six months of hard fighting in the swamps and snow the entire North Russian expeditionary force hasn't gone much farther than this little expedition of "Old Contemptibles" went in two weeks, and at times it has been a hard fight to hold what the originals took in a walk away.

When the Bolsheviks started retreating, they expected to make a stand at Vologda. Instead, when they found the allies were only a handful, and inadequately equipped, they just turned around and fought us. They've been fighting us ever since, and probably will keep on fighting us until we get a force of somewhere nearly equal numbers.

Evidence of Failure.

We frequently find men of culture who take pride in their art or their science but who have no feeling for morality or religion and are rather proud of the fact. Is it not rather an evidence that their culture is failing to raise the possibilities of experience to their highest power?—Minneapolis Journal.

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C. F. Green left today for a business trip to Ardmore and Ringling.

T. P. Holt returned Thursday from a business trip to Duncan, Fort Worth and Dallas.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Barringer a 9 1-2 pound boy. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

We have brake lining for all model cars at the Service Garage. 5-15-31

Rev. C. V. Dunn will deliver an address to the graduating class of the Oakman High school this evening.

Mrs. H. H. Page, whose husband is operator for the Frisco station at Francis, was in the city shopping Thursday.

Jean Newby, of Snyder, Oklahoma, a recently discharged soldier, was in the city Thursday seeking employment as a dry goods salesman. However, his search was in vain.

The funeral services of Elbert Chapman were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of his parents, Rev. Duncan officiating.

Judge U. G. Winn states that Mrs. Winn has recovered her health entirely, a fact her many friends in Ada will be glad to learn.

Mrs. W. W. Barnett and little daughter, Mildred, who have been visiting friends in Lehigh for several days returned home this morning.

Walter E. Green has returned to resume his duties at the Red Cross Drug store after an absence of about a year spent with his parents at Rienzi, Miss.

Supt. J. E. Hickman left this afternoon for Shawnee where he will act as judge in a debate between the high schools of that place and Oklahoma City.

B. C. King who has been fishing in the mountains of southeastern Oklahoma, came in last evening. He looks as though he had been having plenty of fish to eat.

H. P. Sugg accompanied his sister-in-law, Mrs. R. F. King, to Tupelo today where they went in anticipation of putting up a "crop of hay" from Mrs. King's farm.

Russell Boud is carrying a severely mashed hand today as a result of "top tight a squeeze" from the moulding machine in the Knott bakery where he was working when the accident occurred.

Mrs. J. U. Criswell has just received a message from her brother John W. Spencer who was with the 113th Machine Gun company in France, stating that he had made a safe landing in Camp Merritt.

Lieut. C. N. Berry of the Medical Corps of the U. S. Army arrived here Thursday from Camp Dix, N. J., on a leave of absence to visit his wife and baby. Mrs. Berry is better known to Ada people as Miss Ada Norris.

Miss Bertha Featherstone of Hughes County who is a student of "E. C. S. N." was called home Thursday on account of the death of her brother who was killed while engaged in aeroplane lumber making in Alaska.

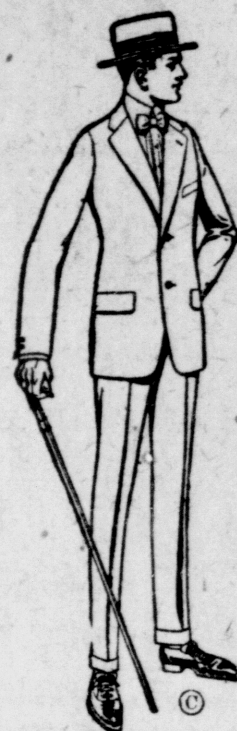
G. W. Cloer reports the sale of a tract of 250 acres of land belonging to W. M. Elliott to G. E. Sutton and wife of Atoka. They were here this week and were so well pleased with Pontotoc county that they decided to locate here.

Mrs. F. M. Gallamore who has been visiting her friend, Mrs. W. H. Sparger of Lehigh, returned home this morning. While there Mrs. Gallamore had the pleasure of being present at an excellent musical recital in which her little friends, Anna Bell, Sarah Bettie, and little Pat Sparger participated.

Walter Milburn, who received the most severe injuries from the gas explosion near Allen is reported to be doing nicely today. His brothers, L. J. Milburn of Oklahoma City and W. J. Milburn of Abilene, Tex., who is president of the Home-Okla Oil Company of this city are here visiting him.

On next Saturday from 4 o'clock p. m. until 10 o'clock p. m. the Baptist ladies of Division No. 3 will serve Lemon Snow and cake in the building on East Main street formerly occupied by Mrs. Land. There will also be a musical program. Everybody invited to attend and eat Lemon Snow and hear the music. 5-15-31

Willis Smith and family from Hanna, Okla., have moved into their new home on East Main, which was formerly the J. H. Norman property. Mr. Smith is a druggist with fifteen years experience and comes highly recommended to the Red Cross Drug store where he has accepted a position.



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THE MAN'S STORE

Mrs. Castleberry, the mother of Dr. Castleberry, is reported to be very low today.

Miss Myrtle White went to Coalgate this morning to visit her friend Miss Lois Keller.

Miss Sue Taylor and Exar Nolan went to Oakman today to attend a meeting of the Mother's Club.

Mrs. H. A. Fairchild left today for a visit with her husband who is in the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Ben Mason returned today from Helena, Arkansas, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cooper.

R. P. Hatchett, who is engaged as a United States revenue collector, made a business trip to Francis today.

E. A. McMillan went to Clarita this morning to deliver the graduating address to the eighth grade at that place.

W. A. Withers returned to his home in Joplin, Mo., this morning, after a visit with his brother, Frank G. Withers and wife.

Miss Ollie Weir left this morning for a visit with friends in St. Louis. She was joined at Coalgate by her friend, Miss Lenore Mitcham.

Judge Orel Busby went to Mill Creek this afternoon where he will address the high school and eighth grade graduating classes of that place this evening.

Orel Busby went to Mill Creek today to deliver an address on the occasion of the high school and eighth grade graduating exercises of that place this evening.

Necessity Makes Prosperity.

A people never fairly begins to prosper till necessity is treading on its heels. The growing want of room is one of the sources of civilization. Population is power, but it must be a population that, in growing, is made daily apprehensive of the morrow.—Simms.

Foley-Todd.

Corporal Charles A. Foley of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and Miss Dude Todd of this city were quietly married Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride on 631 East Ninth street, Rev. Whitney performing the ceremony.

The bride was becomingly dressed in a frock of navy blue georgette, while the groom wore the Army uniform. Miss Todd has made her home in Ada for a number of years and has been known to her many friends as a very quiet, reserved young lady with a most amiable disposition and is loved by everyone who knows her.

The groom is a very prominent oil man of Bartlesville, having lived there for several years. Although Mr. Foley is practically a stranger to Ada people he appears to be a clean-cut man, possessing unusual business ability, and the News sincerely trusts that Dan Cupid has made no mistake in the culmination of this courtship.